

BASE BALL MAGNATE IS DEAD

John T. Brush Passes Away on Private Car on Way West.

ELL FOR MORE THAN A YEAR

His Son-in-Law, H. N. Hempstead, Becomes Director and Principal Owner of New York Club.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 25.—John T. Brush, millionaire president of the New York National league base ball team, died of locomotor ataxia on his private car "Oceanic" just as a Burlington train to which the car was attached was pulling into Seeburger, Mo., thirty-six miles north of here at 11:35 o'clock this morning. His end was peaceful, although he had been in ill health for more than a year.

Although Mr. Brush was in St. Louis for more than an hour last night, his presence was not known outside of railroad circles. He was taken from New York Sunday night and arrived here last night at 10:15 o'clock. At 11:35 his private car, having been transferred from the Big Four to the Burlington, he resumed his trip westward, with San Francisco in view. The flying trip across the country was begun in a desperate effort to better the base ball magnate's health.

Although railroad officials were notified immediately of Mr. Brush's death, his car was pulled to Louisiana, Mo., before being detached from the train. After an interval it was attached to a south-bound Burlington train, which arrived here this morning.

Up to Sunday night, it is said that Mr. Brush had not left his residence in New York for about a year. He was taken last winter to San Antonio, Texas, and while there was no weak that the report was sent out that he was dying.

Mr. Brush rose from an employe of a clothing shop in Indianapolis to the ownership of the New York team.

Funeral in Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 25.—The funeral of John T. Brush, president of the New York National league club, will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Newton Hempstead, in this city Thursday or Friday. The body is expected to arrive late today and will be taken at once to the daughter's home. It was decided not to hold the funeral until Mr. Brush's friends from distant parts of the country could arrive. Burial probably will be here also.

Mrs. Brush and her daughter, Natalie, are on the way here from Bryn Mawr, Pa., where the daughter is attending school.

Mr. Brush had extensive business interests here and began his baseball career by purchasing \$35 worth of stock in an Indianapolis base ball club twenty-five years ago.

Death Not Unexpected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The news of John T. Brush's death in his private car in Missouri early today was not unexpected by his family and friends here. The wealthy owner of the New York National league team has been at death's door for some time, and the long trip to sunny California was decided upon a few days ago as a last resort. On Sunday night Mr. Brush was carried from his hotel and placed in his private car in a

semi-conscious condition. He was accompanied west by several physicians.

Realizing the serious nature of his illness Mr. Brush recently ordered a reorganization of the New York club's business affairs. It is said he practically gave up hope of recovery at that time, and accordingly put the club in the hands of H. M. Hempstead, his son-in-law, assigning the duties of secretary and treasurer to R. M. McCutcheon in place of Joseph D. O'Brien and John Whalen. In the event of Mr. Brush's death it was said that Mr. Hempstead would become the principal owner.

John T. Brush was one of the most prominent men in base ball long before he established himself in this city. Along with A. G. Spalding he was regarded as one of the fathers of the national game. His first leap into the limelight was made in 1888 when he obtained a national league franchise for Indianapolis. In 1900 his franchise was transferred to Cincinnati, and in 1902 he sold his holdings there and purchased the New York club.

Fogel Quits Game; Mathewson May Buy Philadelphia Team

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Horace Fogel, president of the Philadelphia National league base ball club, tendered his resignation to the National league magnates in session here this afternoon. He took this action suddenly and without explanation, before the assembled magnates had had time to consider the charges against him of having made statements reflecting on the integrity of National league umpires.

It was also announced that Alfred B. Wiler of Philadelphia had been elected president of the Philadelphia National league club at a meeting held on November 22. Mr. Wiler will represent the club at the session today.

Mr. Wiler is a lawyer and a stockholder in the Philadelphia club. Notwithstanding Fogel's resignation it is understood the investigation into the charges against him will go on and will be cleared up.

Base ball magnates heard this afternoon that Charley Mathewson, the star pitcher of the New York Giants had obtained sufficient financial backing to purchase the Philadelphia club.

Chance Probably Out of Base Ball

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 25.—Workmen engaged by Frank Chance were busy today dismantling the former Chicago National league manager's home, preparatory to the shipment of the furniture to Glendora, Cal. This was taken by his friends here to mean that Chance does not contemplate returning to base ball in either of the big leagues during the coming season.

Chance and his wife are now at their California home, and although no word regarding his future plans has been received here within the last few days, it is not believed that he will go to Cincinnati or to the New York Americans. It is reported here that he contemplates selling his home here and Chicagoans are generally agreed that they have seen the last of the "peerless leader" on the base ball field.

Big Base Ball Trade Likely to Be Made

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Manager Johnny Evers of the Chicago National league club said today, a big base ball trade would probably be made here tomorrow by which Chicago would receive Mitchell, Phelan, Kinsley and "another player" in return for Tinker, who is slated to manage the Cincinnati team.

Evers talked "trade" today with President Herrmann of the Cincinnati team. Tinker is expected here tomorrow. Corridon, the third baseman, bought by the Detroit Americans from Kansas City, is said to be the "other player" considered by Evers.

To bring such a trade about, Cincinnati will have to strike a bargain with Detroit. Herrmann is said to be prepared to offer the Detroit team Frank Chance in exchange for Corridon. Detroit, it is said would then send Chance to the New York Americans in exchange for one or more local players and the managerial problem of President Frank Farrell of the New York team would be solved.

MICHIGAN NOT READY TO GIVE UP TRAINING TABLE

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 25.—Student sentiment in regard to Michigan returning to the western conference, as was reported to have been recommended favorably at a meeting held in Chicago Saturday night, hinges on the training table rule.

Reports from Chicago seem to indicate that Michigan has withdrawn from its position in regard to the training table, but the student body refuse to believe this.

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Deposed Pitcher for Cubs Says He is Not Down and Out.

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Mordcah Brown, erstwhile pitcher on the Omaha club and the deposed hurler for the Chicago Cubs, is all in. At least this is the opinion of many followers of the Chicago fans, since Brown has been released to the Louisville team of the American Association. That, however, is not the opinion of the fans all over the country.

It must be remembered that Brown has been a winning pitcher ever since 1904. The year previous to that he was with St. Louis and had a bad season. The next season found him in Chicago. Ever since, until the season just closed, Mordcah Brown has won a majority of his games. This is substantiated by the following table:

Table with columns: Year, W.L., Pct., Year, W.L., Pct. Rows include 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025.

This shows that the deposed Cub won two-thirds of the games he pitched. Last year Brown suffered an injury and was prevented from playing. His usefulness to the club for which he had won pennants was a thing of the past, according to Murphy.

When he suffered his injury Brown had hit his stride. He had won the four games he pitched prior to the accident. Just before the post-season game with the White Sox, Brown warmed up and was in perfect shape. His ball worked fine and he had wonderful control, but Murphy refused to allow him in the games.

Great When in His Prime.

Brown was a great pitcher in his prime. His prime could be confined in the years 1906-7-8-9. In these four years there was not a better pitcher in the game. During these same years Brown was worked against the hardest clubs in the league, New York, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Cincinnati.

Frank Chance is one of the many major leaguers who says Brown's days as a pitcher are over. He even went so far as to say that had Brown been able to take his turn on the rubber during the last season, he (Chance) would have ended as manager of the Cubs with another pennant.

Brown himself laughs when he hears the report that his days as a pitcher are over. He claims to be in as good shape today as he was in 1910 or 1911 and next year will show that he has the goods. He even says that he may be with the big leagues. No one knows. Brown has a lot of stuff stored up in his head and his arm is far from being a has-been. He will be heard from next season just as he has been for the last ten years.

DOANE TIGERS PLAY ST. MARY'S THURSDAY

CRETE, Neb., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—The Doane Tigers will close a fairly successful season of football by traveling to St. Mary's, Kan., to play game with that school on turkey day. These two teams have been meeting regularly for the last four years, and while St. Mary's has won three games to Doane's one, that one was last year, and the Tigers expect to duplicate the feat this year. Nothing is known of the strength of the Catholics except that Kansas university beat them by about the same score that Nebraska beat Bellevue—49 to 0.

The Tigers came up stronger last Saturday than was even expected and by this victory can hold second honors in the state this year. The season's schedule has been one of the heaviest ever attempted, playing nine games with no rest in between of more than seven days. Out of the eight already played Doane has won five and lost three, counting in the university game that it expected to lose.

Goble, the plunging fullback for the last two years; Adams, this year's captain; King, tackle, all play their last game Thursday, this being their last year in college. Dick Kretzinger, star halfback for the last two years, was chosen by his teammates to lead the team next year. Coach Johnson, in a recent statement said that he has been well pleased with the playing of the team this year and that he thinks that the prospects for a winning aggregation next year are exceedingly bright.

The team leaves Wednesday morning for Kansas and will return Friday noon. For the first time in some years the honor D's were awarded before the close of the season, it being done at the annual football banquet last Saturday night. Of the old men to receive letters were Adams, Goble, Brunson, Higby, Kretzinger, Blunt and King. The new men receiving them were Egan, Johnston, Krebs, Harris, Medlar, G. Mickle and R. Mickle. This is the largest list of new men to receive letters that has ever been issued.

Farrell Announces Release of Base Ball Players by Purchase

AUBURN, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Secretary Farrell of the National Association of Professional Base Ball clubs, today announced the following players have been released by purchase:

Seymour; by Newark to Los Angeles; Looney; by Spokane to St. Louis; Johnson; by St. Joseph to Los Angeles; Daley; by Los Angeles to Philadelphia American league; Crabb, Fahey and Maggart; by Philadelphia American league to Los Angeles; Allen; by Chattanooga to St. Louis; City; Elliott; by Nashville to Vernon; Senno and Dunn; by Ottumwa to Birmingham; McGinley; by Toronto to Birmingham; Schirm; by Buffalo to Oakland; Hitejacket; by Los Angeles to Bloomington; Goodman; by Vancouver to St. Paul; Rockenfield; by Kansas City to Lincoln; Daschback; by New Haven to Missoula; Frank Erdington; by Fort Wayne to Columbus; Butcher; by Portland to Denver; Hauser; by Paris to Vancouver; Beach; by Galesburg to Providence; Colligan; by Des Moines to San Francisco Robinson; by Paris to Fort Worth; Hart and Cass; by Muscatine to Manatee; Harry Smith; by Chicago American league to Lincoln; Mordcah Brown; by Chicago National league to Louisville; Cole and Tipple; by Pittsburgh to Columbus; Kritchell; by St. Louis American league to Kansas City; Walters; by Norfolk to Kewanee; Carter; by Kewanee to Norfolk; William Manke; by Grand Island to Lincoln; Schmidt; by Racine to Minneapolis; Anderson, Tremmel and Appleton; by Longview to Fort Worth; Ness; by New Bedford to Oakland.

Kearney Normal Hopes to Beat Peru

KEARNEY, Neb., Nov. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Coach Van Buren of the Kearney State normal this morning announced the final lineup of his athletes

fighting the Turks. The card was written at Marseilles, November 11. He says: "Hello, Jim. How are you? I am fine so far. France is all right and England, may be, but the United States is the best for me. Regards to all."

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E. O. "Dog" Eager of Lincoln, E. C. Kruger of Grand Island and H. Tollefsen of Kearney are the officials agreed upon. The lineup includes: Campbell, left end; captain; Randolph, left tackle; W. Randolph, left guard; J. Randolph, center; Catlan, right guard; Fotts, right tackle; Davies, right end; Knutzen, quarterback; Proctor, right halfback; Hotchkiss, left

Stamos Writes Card to Friend in Omaha

James I. Fallos, Greek interpreter, has received a postal card from George Stamos, who left his business here in charge of his wife while he is away



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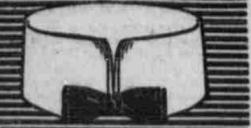
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